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## **AMENDMENT**

In response to an Office action dated July 19, 2000, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Delete claims 1 and 2.

- 3. A transmitter comprising:
- a demultiplexer responsive to an applied input signal for developing a plurality of at least two signal streams, and
- a like plurality of channel coding/space-time coding transmitters, each responsive to a different signal stream of said plurality of signal streams.
- 4. The transmitter of claim 3 where each of said channel coding/space-time coding transmitters comprises:
  - a channel coder of rate  $R_i$ ,
  - a space-time encoder responsive to output signal of said channel code encoder,
  - a modulator responsive to said space time-encoder,
  - pulse shaping circuitry responsive to said modulator, and